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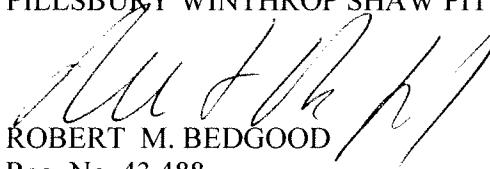
In response to the Office Action mailed August 16, 2010, in connection with the above-identified application, Applicants elect, with traverse, group VIII, claims 1 (in part) and 17-21, for prosecution on the merits. Applicant's further elect the species of compound V-1, and disease of amyloid disease, for prosecution in the above-identified application, with traverse.

Applicants respectfully request rejoinder of compound V-2 with the elected species since V-2 has structural similarity to V-1. Accordingly, in view of their structural similarity, there would not be an undue burden on the Patent Office to search and examine compound V-2 with the elected species of compound V-1.

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